

## **UAA Update**

### **8/7/09**

It was nice seeing many of you at the Food Package training this week. We missed those of you who weren't able to attend! I have posted the handouts and materials used at the training on the portion of our website we've been using for Food Package Updates and Resources:

[www.wictraining.org/Alaska/FoodPackage](http://www.wictraining.org/Alaska/FoodPackage)

Please also notice on the website there are a couple of handouts that were used at the February teleconference (found lower on the website page) that have been updated; the updated date is noted in red so you should easily see what has been updated.

I usually post materials in PDF format to make it easy to open and view, but if you need something in a different format in order to easily edit, please let me know.

As I mentioned at the training, I will be updating the CPA online training module related to the new foods and food packages that you can use for a staff training resource for any staff if you would like. I have not been able to get that completed yet, but will do my best to have it to you by the end of next week. I will let you know when that is posted.

I also wanted to take a moment to let you know about a bit of a staffing change we are going to have at UAA. I have accepted a Dietetics & Nutrition term-faculty position for this academic year. This opportunity came up very suddenly and I will be starting that work on Monday, 8/10. My fall workload will include time from our WIC grants so that I am able to finish projects I am working on as well as transition some of my work over to Danielle Rybicki. You will still submit CPA training applications and information in the same way you have. Danielle and I will be working closely to make this a smooth transition. As a reminder, our general program email address is [aywic@uaa.alaska.edu](mailto:aywic@uaa.alaska.edu) and phone number is 907-786-1401. I have enjoyed working with the WIC Program and look forward to continuing to do so, even if it is in a different capacity.

Have a great weekend!  
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